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Sir:

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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the Applicant(s) would like to bring to the attention of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office information that may be helpful in the examination of the above-identified patent application. All of the information is listed on an attached Forms PTO-1449 and PTO-892.

In this regard, benefit of the earlier filing dates of U.S. patent application serial numbers 08/474,633 filed June 7, 1995; 08/178,212 filed January 6, 1994; and 07/855,414 filed March 19, 1992 are claimed under 35 USC 120 for the captioned application. Thus, information cited in the priority application is not supplied with this Information Disclosure Statement. See 37 CFR 1.98(d).

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